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ARRAIGNS MODERN DANCE IN PLAIN TERMS

EXPERT TESTIMONY BROUGHT AGAINST IT.

The Rev. Dr. J. W. Duffey of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Preaches a Strong Sermon on a Subject of Interest to Many.

One of the most convincing sermons heard in an Alexandria church in months was delivered by the Rev. Dr. J. W. Duffey, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church South, on Sunday evening. It has been the subject of so much comment throughout the city since that time that the Gazette herewith presents a summary of it. The subject was "The Lure of the Dance—Expert Testimony," and the discourse was intently listened to by a congregation which filled the large auditorium.

Rev. Duffey very frankly stated that personally he would not know the difference between what was called the "Virginia reel" and a modern waltz or one-step, but that the testimony he would submit would be from dancing masters—experts who did know concerning what they affirmed. Among those he submitted evidence from were the following:

Thomas A. Faulkner: "I realized the depths of iniquity and the enormity of the hideous business I was engaged in and had been following for years, which was not only destroying the bodies and souls of the girls and women who were caught in my net, but my own body and soul, and, through my influence, those of thousands of others following my footsteps."

Prof. Harry Stribes, the renowned champion dancer and author of many noted society dances: "I do not believe that a woman can waltz virtuously and waltz well, for she must yield her person completely to her partner. My advice to my own daughter, if I had one, would be, "do not let any man encircle your waist until you are married and then only your husband. I can safely say that four-fifths of those who are now prostitutes in the United States were ruined in the ballroom. You will generally find that a prostitute is a perfect dancer."

Prof. Wm. H. Holmes, an ex-dancing master in San Francisco: "I found the ballroom the avenue of destruction for multitudes. It is the truth burned into the hearts of thousands of downcast fathers and broken-hearted mothers, and husbands are legion who can look into deserted homes left desolate by wives and daughters who have been led captive by the magnificent burst of harmony and laying on of hands."

Ernest A. Bell, Superintendent of the Midnight Mission, Chicago, and one of the foremost in the fight against the White Slave traffic: "As a faithful witness I must testify that dancing, drinking and debauchery are the Under-world Triplets. These three evils in the hands of the vice-traffickers are the chief means of destroying girls and debauching men. The dance halls are recognized recruiting grounds for 'procurers'. They supply the brothel alike with victims and patrons."

"The art of gaining wicked control of your partner is the main stock in trade and the principal asset of the dancing teacher."

A reformed brothel keeper testifies: "I had several young men in my employ as 'procurers' and most of them were managers of dancing schools. They would go down to the factories and present the girls with invitations to attend dances. When the girls came my man would pick out some of them for victims."

Gypsy Smith said, it is a "sexual pleasure," to which some exception was taken. Here is other testimony:

Dr. Frank C. Richardson, of Boston, says: "The various steps and poses of the dances are contributed with 'devilish ingenuity' to excite the instincts of the sex."

Prof. Hugo Munsterberg, teacher of psychology in Harvard University, said: "The modern dance is erotic and sex-inciting."

Prof. Stribes, the dancing master quoted above, said: "There will be prostitutes as long as the public school rooms are used to teach the first rudiments of prostitution by having dancing taught or allowed there."

"The dances of today are not the old-fashioned Virginia reel, moneymusk and quadrilles, such as were danced years ago, but are primarily designed by dancing masters and their allies for the express purpose of arousing the passions and destroying the purity of both sexes. The different suggestive movements of each new dance are thoroughly studied and their effects well known before they are introduced to the public.

Sixty Thousand Girls Required.

General Theodore Bingham, formerly Commissioner of Police in New York city, said: "It is estimated that sixty thousand young women and girls are required every year to fill up the ranks of professional prostitutes. It is because women do not understand the real meaning of the dance and its perilous and fatal consequences, or that they are unwilling to believe the facts, that the traffic in blood goes on and so many thousands each year are sinking to destruction."

Evidence secured by Faulkner (quoted above) through the testimony of girls in brothels, showed that eighty-one per cent of them assigned dancing schools and ballrooms as the direct cause of their downfall.

A Mother's mistake—Daughter's testimony.: 'Up to the age of 17, I knew nothing wrong and I judge mother knew very little about the sins of the world. She wanted me to learn to dance, said it would make me more graceful, that the members of our church had formed a select dance club—and there my downfall began. The man who ruined me offered to take me to a certain city (Chicago) and marry me. He took me to a house in that city, leaving me, saying he would soon return with a minister. It was the last I ever saw of him. I soon found out I was an inmate of a notorious house of infamy, (on South Clark street). I could not leave, having no place to go, no money and no character, so I sank to the lowest depths of hell where many another innocent soul has gone before me. All this happened inside of eight months after my own mother sent me to learn to dance."

A Notable Decree.

The following decree is found in a late number of the "Acta Apostolicae Sedis," the official publication of the Vatican. It is significant that the action of Pope Benedict XV, is not based upon any temporary expediency or arbitrary impulse, but upon the consciousness of the "perils and losses caused by the growing custom" of promoting dancing at Catholic entertainments. The New York Sun says that no other decree of the Pope in late years has caused such a sensation. The decree applies to Catholics in all lands. The decree contains the following: "In the last century in the United States the custom sprang up of gathering Catholic families to balls which used to be protracted to a late hour *** they who were used to preside over the gatherings were generally the heads of some pious work, not rarely the recorts or the parish priests of churches. But the ordinaries of the places, although they entertained no doubt of the upright purpose of those who promoted these dances, still, looking at the perils and losses caused by the growing custom, considered it their duty to forbid them; and therefore in Canon 290, of the Third Plenary Council of Baltimore they laid down as follows: 'We order also that priests will take care to remove entirely that abuse in which entertainments and balls are held for the purpose of promoting pious projects.' But as often happens in human things, what was very wisely and justly ordered in the beginning gradually commenced to fall into oblivion, and the use of balls

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Alexandria City and Suburbs

Miss Katherine Hutton, of Sandy Spring, Maryland, is the guest of Miss Nellie Selden Uhler, at her home in north Washington street.

James M. Allison, son of the late James W. and Annie Allison, died in Washington Tuesday. The deceased was 43 years old. The interment was made in this city this afternoon.

Captain Conrad Johnson, of the Alexandria Light Infantry, in a letter sent from Richmond says he expects the command will be mustered out of service on the 16th instant.

The night school committee of the Parent-Teachers Association is arranging for a subscription dance Friday evening, January 19, in the auditorium of the High School building to raise funds for the teachers' and janitor's salaries. The night school is absolutely free for all pupils who care to avail themselves of the opportunity to further their education, but the association is obligated to pay for the service of the teachers and the janitor.

At the revival service tonight, conducted in the Methodist Protestant Church by the pastor, Rev. Edward T. Kirkley, the subject will be "Satan, his origin, his personality and his work." The prayer meetings have been changed from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m., and will be held at that hour tomorrow, Friday afternoon, in the following homes: Mrs. Wolfe, 1101 Prince street, leader Mrs. M. T. Parker; Mrs. Hall, 407 South Lee street, leader, Mrs. F. W. Ebhardt; Mrs. Beach, 226 north Fairfax street, leader Mrs. W. S. Risdon; Mrs. Nunnelly, 200 south St. Asaph street, leader Mrs. W. T. Penn, the meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Jennier, 520 south Henry street, with Mrs. Nunnelly as leader, will be at 3 o'clock.

The Relief Hook and Ladder Company will hold its annual election of officers on Friday night of this week at 7:30.

Past Regent Bayne installed the newly elected officers of Alexandria Council No. 627, Royal Arcanum, Tuesday evening.

Plans for a series of entertainments and lectures which will be given during the winter months were mapped out by the entertainment committee at a largely attended meeting of Fitzgerald Council, No. 459, Knights of Columbus, held last night in St. Mary's Hall.

The weekly prayer meeting in the Anne Lee Memorial Home for the Aged will be held at three o'clock tomorrow, Friday afternoon. It is hoped there will be a large attendance at this forty-five minute service. The public is most cordially invited. The blue books will be used for the song service.

Mr. Laurence D. Kitchell's travelogue is anticipated with pleasure by a great many of this city, and it is hoped that the auditorium of the Elks' Home will be packed Monday evening with a representative audience. This travelogue is not only interesting but instructive and the pictures shown of the Glacier National Park and of the Blackfeet Indians should be of the greatest interest to all.

The finance committee for the parade in Washington November 16, 1916, collected $438.20 and expended $297.85; balance on hand $140.35. Many of the contributors to this fund have signified their wish that this balance be used for the entertainment of the Alexandria Light Infantry upon its return to this city. This will be done, unless the committee having the fund in hand hears of some objection.

The annual election of Relief Hook and Ladder company will occur tomorrow night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Corl of Del Ray, announce the marriage of their daughter Pearl to Mr. Fritz Hauer of Greensboro, North Carolina It took place on Easter Sunday in Greensboro, Mr. and Mrs. Hauer will be guests here for ten days beginning Saturday next.

The Virginia Ice Manufacturers Association convened yesterday in the auditorium of Murphy's Hotel in Richmond. Harry Hammond, of Mutual Ice Company of Alexandria, is a member of the organization.

Mrs. Anna Herd, grand worthy matron of Virginia, will pay an official visit to Martha Washington Chapter No. 42, order of Eastern Star, on Tuesday evening next. An elaborate program is being arranged for the occasion in her honor.

A letter was received yesterday by Dr. J. H. Bitzer from his son, Robert Bitzer, of the Alexandria Light Infantry, stating that the Alexandria boys are quartered in the Blues' Armory in Richmond and are taking their meals at a caterer's, also that they are enjoying eating off of real plates. Mr. Bitzer states they have no idea as to when they will reach Alexandria.

Mrs. George Prior Anderton entertained at an informal tea yesterday afternoon, at her home on Braddock Heights, for Mrs. George Washington Lewis. Receiving with Mrs. Anderton and Mrs. Lewis was Mrs. Granville Curry, of Washington, formerly Miss Elsie Haile, of Staunton, Virginia. In the dining room the decorations were American Beauty roses. Miss Rose MacDonald served tea assisted by Mrs. Julian Burke, Jr., and Miss Esther Green.

TEACHERS TO ASK FOR RELIEF.

Will Request a Progressive, Graduated Salary Plan of Payment.

The regular monthly meeting of the Alexandria Teachers' Association was held yesterday afternoon. Miss Fox of the Bureau of Education of Washington was present and explained the extended use of the standard tests now being applied in the leading schools of the country.

The subject of salaries was among others which came up for consideration, concerning which Prof. C. T. Ryan, secretary of the teachers' associatiion, has furnished the Gazette with the following report:

At the regular monthly meeting of the Alexandria Teachers' Association yesterday afternoon action was taken to have the salary of the teaching corps placed on an aggressive graduated scale. Upon motion substantiated by a majority of the thirty-seven teachers present, a committee will be appointed to formulate a plan to present to the School Board showing the present unprogressive and antiquated plan and to ask that body to remedy matters at once. At present there is no inducement offered a teacher to remain in the system, for the salary one receives during his first year usually remains the same regardless of his time and experience in the system.

The committee will be instructed by the Association not to take an antagonistic stand toward those higher up, for the Association feels that the justice of the Board, when that body is impressed of the unfairness of the present system, will induce the members to adopt a progressive salary basis.

Many of the teachers are using every effort to increase their proficiency and to give to their work the results of an earnest study of modern pedagogic methods, yet these same teachers have had no substantial increase in salary as a recognition of their desire to properly discharge their duty. Maryland school boards give their teachers an increase of $25 a year, providing the teacher will attend a summer normal for six weeks. Alexandria has made no recompense to teachers who have attended normal school at night for six years, or the summer school, at the University of Virginia for ten years.

The Association wishes to engage public sentiment in its behalf and it feels that every thinking Alexandrian will appreciate the attitude of the association and lend support to its agitation.

Fish Day Tomorrow.

Buck Shad, Steak Halibut, Steak Pollock, Steak Bass, Sea Bass, Pike fish, Salt Water Crockers, Fresh Haddock, Winter Shad, Lake Trout and Oysters.

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BANK OFFICERS ELECTED

Alexandria City Banks Re-elect Present Officials.

The boards of directors of the three national banks of this city have elected officers for the ensuing year as here named:

First National—Gardner L. Boothe president; M. B. Harlow, vice president; George E. Warfield, casheir; J. Johnston Green, assistant chashier.

Citizens' National Bank— Edward L. Daingerfield, president; Carroll Pierce, vice president; Richard M. Green, cashier; M. L. Dinwiddie, assistant cashier.

Alexandria National Bank—Judge C. E. Nicol, president; W. B. Smoot, vice president; J. L. Perry, cashier; R. A. Lynn, assistant cashier.

See Linton, at Blondheim's old stand, City Market, for meats, Auth's Provisions, etc.

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FINDS OYSTER CROP LOW.

Commissioner Killian Says Dredgers Are on Potomac Now.

William H. Killian, of the Conservation Commission, was at his office in Baltimore yesterday, after having spent some days on the Potomac river oyster-seed area, which was opened to tongers some days ago. He said that the crop of marketable oysters found on the area was much smaller than had been expected. Several hundred Maryland and Virginia tongers are at work, and a great many dredgers wanted to operate on the area, but were refused permission, under the law.

Mr. Killian said the dredgers are having great difficulty in taking enough oysters to make ends meet, even at the high prices which prevail. Some have stopped work, and those operating have left the bay and gone on the open grounds in the Potomac. The trouble seems to be that the oystermen have been slowly killing the goose that laid the golden egg by their disregard of all rules of conservation of supply.

CALLS FOR VOTE ON SALOONS

New Mexico's Governor Sends Message From Sick Room.

Santa, Fe, N. M., Dec. 11.—An amendment to the Constitution providing for submission of prohibition to the voters of New Mexico was recommended by Governor E. C. De Baca in a message read to the Legislature yesterday by W. E. Lindsey, Lieutenant Governor.

Those who favor the sale of liquor are somewhat alarmed over the reports coming from Richmond to the effect that it seems quite probable that the state legislature which meets next year, may cut off the provision of the law permitting a citizen of the state to import a quart of liquor a month from outside territory. The upholding of the Webb-Kenyon act by the United States Supreme Court leads the Richmond officials to believe that Virginia will be made a strictly dry state. Much discussion pro and con is being indulged in about the city concerning it.

THAW CUTS HIS THROAT

Rushed to Philadelphia Hospital, But His Condition is Not Yet Known.

Philadelphia, Jan. 11.—Harry K. Thaw, slayer of Stanford White and now wanted in New York to answer an indictment charging that he flogged Frederick Gump, cut his throat in a West Philadelphia apartment this afternoon.

He was rushed to a hospital, but the seriousness of the injury is unknown.

New York, Jan. 11.—The theory that Harry Thaw will give himself up or be arrested in Pittsburgh was virtually abandoned by the authorities here today and preparations were made to run him down, where ever his trail may lead.

The Pittsburgher's spectacular flight from Matteawan to Canada, with posses in trains, automobiles, and on foot at his heels may again be staged at any moment in any part of the country.

Warning that "Thaw may commit another homicide" was issued to the public today by Evelyn Nesbit, former wife of Harry Thaw, now Mrs. Jack Clifford.

He is a dangerous man to be at large," says Evelyn, and he should be confined at once for the safety of the public. The late Dr. Austin Flint said to me:

"Thaw's disease will again manifest itself. He will finally kill somebody again!" Mrs. Clifford said she was "sorry for Mr. Thaw."

Adjudged sane, and freed after a long and bitter fight from the official net that had bound him ever since the night he shot White to death, Thaw again is a fugitive, by his own actions. He faces the prospect of fighting his return to Matteawan as an insane patient when he is caught.

At the moment no one seems to have any idea where Thaw is. He was variously reported in Plittsburgh, on his way to surrender to the authorities here, and as having been in several Pennsylvania cities.

The authorities do not consider it improbable that Thaw has fled by ship to a foreign port; maybe Can-

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

Have Installation of Officers and Banquet.

The officers of Oriental Lodge, No. 6, Knights of Pythias, for the ensuing term were duly installed Tuesday night, by Deputy Grand Chancellor, L. D. Sullivan, assisted by Grand Inner Guard, Ernest R. Boyer, in their Castle Hall, 117 N. Pitt street, with a large membership in attendance.

The officers are: S. Elmer Norris, C. C.; C. O. Emerson, V. C.; N. L. Reynolds, Prelate; G. C. Connors, M. at A.; W. F. O'Neil, I. G.; W. R. Humphries, O. G.; G. C. Trenary, M. of W.; the members repaired to the Banquet Hall, where an elaborate spread had been arranged by the Entertainment Committee, of which our beloved brother, P. C. James T. Luckett, was chairman.

In the course of the evening toasts were responded to by Past Chancellors, L. D. Sullivan, and E. R. Boyer, The newly intalled Prelate, N. L. Reynolds, furnished music with a new Victrola, which was much enjoyed.

TURNED OVER TO COUNTY.

Complaint was made at the station house yesterday that a negro named John Watkins had broke into a camp car at the Potomac railroad yards and stolen an overcoat, suit case, a pistol and several other articles. It was believed the negro had brought his plunder to this city. Sergeant Wilkinson and Officer Snellings later located Watkins in a house in the extreme northeastern section of the city and took him in custody. They subsequently located the stolen articles, finding most of them in a second hand store where they had been sold. Watkins was turned over to the authorities of Alexandria county.

When in Washington and hungry, stop at Schneider's Restaurant 12th street opposite Raleigh.

QUIETS THE ANGRY MOB

Kentucky Executive Earnestly Pleads For Negro Criminal When About to be Lynched.

Murray, Ky., Jan. 11.—Arriving here early today aboard a special train from Frankfort, Governor A. O. Stanley, quieted the mob which had been seeking the life of Lube Martin, a negro.

The governor pleaded that the negro, accused of slaying Policeman Guthrie Duiguid, be given a fair trial. He threatened to call out the militia unless quiet was restored.

Before leaving Frankfort, Governor Stanley declared the mob would have to lynch him before its members obtained possession of the negro.

When a mob demanded Martin's surrender, Circuit Judge C. H. Bush ordered him to Paducah and then rescinded his order when the mob threatened him.

Governor Stanley notified the jailer at Paducah by telephone to ignore any order from Judge Bush.

Judge Bush phoned Governor Stanley before the executive's departure from Frankfort that the situation was critical and urged him to use all speed in getting to Murray.

The mob which threatened Bush for a time is said to have faced the probability of battle with another mob formed at Hopkinsville as a posse to give aid to the beleaguered jurist.

Martin is now en route to Murray from the Hopkinsville jail, where he was taken for safe-keeping.

Sheriff Fox, of Calloway county, said Martin would be brought into the courtroom some time today. Fox said he did not expect trouble, and would not permit his deputies and other court attaches to display fire-arms. Every person entering the room will be searched, and relieved of weapons of all character.

The mob, composed of whites and blacks, surrounded a hotel here last night when it learned Judge Bush and Prosecutor Smith were inside, and threatened to dynamite the building unless the two promised to turn over Martin.

When the mob attempted to enter the hotel, a hundred armed special deputies drove them back. Some of the crowd returned to their homes, while others went to the court house, where they remained until the arrival of Governor Stanley.

POLICE COURT.

(Justice H. B. Caton, Presiding.)

There were two cases on the docket of the court this morning. Esther Codwell, colored, had been arrested at the instance of Ossie Johnson, colored, on the charge of assault. According to the statement of the complainant, the woman had unceremoniously entered her house and attacked her, and during the melee had picked up a case knife, presumably intending to use it upon the object of her vengeance. One of the witnesses for the defense alleged that the Johnson woman wielded a skillet during the fray. Justice Caton fined the Codwell woman $5.

Charles Mead, a young white man, had been arrested for removing an overcoat and a pair of gloves from an automobile. He alleged in his defense that he had no intention of keeping the coat and gloves, and was preparing to return them to their owner when the police appeared at his house. He was fined $5.

Louis F. Krening, grand master of Odd Fellows, of Wyethville, Va., paid an official visit to Potomac and Sarepta Lodges at a joint meeting held in Odd Fellows' hall last night.

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LAWSON'S VAPORINGS.

As we supposed from the first, Thomas W. Lawson's "mouthings" concerning alleged leaks have evaporated. There is apparently nothing to his charges, and the Congressional committee is seriously considering the advisability of handling him for contempt.

This is not the first time Lawson has made himself prominent by making charges in the commercial world. When people had long since ceased to talk of him, he suddenly emerged from oblivion with his leak charges, which he has failed to sustain.

The Richmond Journal says as a sounder of brass and a beater of toms-toms few persons in the country can approach the eminence Thomas W. Lawson has attained. He is, without question, the most blatant of four-flushers. Making absurdly extravagant statements in Boston, at Washington, his answers to categorical questions, suggested by his previous utterances, revealed only empty mouthings. The fellow is a palpable fraud and Senator Stone would appear to be amply justified in characterizing him as a "disgusting ass." Denuded of all superfluities, Lawson's testimony exposes only miserable hearsays and personal deductions that are in nowise warranted.. He has the effrontery to admit that he is not at all interested in the alleged leaks at Washington; all he wants is to have Wall street investigated and disciplined to feed fat his private revenge. All through his pitiful catechizing Lawson hinted continually of "higher-ups," whom he could name, who had profited by the advance information; but when pressed he evaded disclosure, urging that it would greatly injure the administration. Our cotemporary very properly observes that this is sheer pettifogging. The public is justified in disregarding his insinuations in toto. He quibbles, he dodges, he evades direct answers and when cornered takes refuge in the cowardly reply, "It would cast a cloud over persons so prominent in political life that it would have a disastrous effect on the country." What folderol! The man is a charlatan. The Garnett resolution, compelling him to answer, should be adopted. It is a watse of time and a reflection on congress to fool further with the evasive witness under voluntary proceedings. Compel him to tell what he knows, if he knows anything, or let him stand wholly discredited before the country—a vain and empty boaster.

THE MEXICAN EYESORE.

An old woman, proprietress of a grain store in Jiminez, Mexico, was ordered executed by the bandit leader Villa when she was unable to comply with his demands for money. Many other men, women and children in that district were killed by the order of the bandit leader because they could not furnish money he demanded.

Chronic conditions in Mexico are a disgrace to the American continent as well as to the human race. The land of the Montezumas is one of the most blessed of the earth, but its development is hindered by outlaws, and changes of government bring no relief.

It is believed by some historians that this continent was the cradle of the human race, and not Armenia, as has been generally supposed. Mexico and Peru were a prosperous and civilized counties long before Christopher Columbus was born. Their history may have antedated that of the Pharaohs. Blessed by nature, it has for centuries been cursed by creatures made in the image of God.

The land may be likened to the "Slough of Despond" in Bunyan's "Pilgrim's Progress." After the waxing and waning of many rulers and reformatory experiments, it is still turbulent Mexico.

TIRED OF HYPOCRISY.

C. P. Moss, of New Iberia, La., wealthy manufacturer of sauces, and known as the "Tabasco King," committed suicide in a hotel in New Orleans yesterday by firing a revolver bullet through his right temple. Moss left notes to his wife and to the proprietor of the hotel, in which he stated "I simply quit; I am tired of the hypocrisy of the world, and think it best to end it all."

A minister in this city many years ago referred to a challenge made by a brother minister in another city that it would be impossible for any person to mingle with others twelve hours without lying by their lips or actions. This challenge had been taken up by a man who was positive he could live and move during that time among his fellow-creatures without departing from the truth in the slightest manner. He started out after breakfast and seeing a man towards whom he had an aversion coming towards him, started across the street, knowing that if he met the undesirable he would not be telling the truth if he said, "I'm glad to see you." His acquaintance saw he was about to be snubbed and called to the fugitive. The latter stopped and the acquaintance extended his hand, and exclaimed, "How are you, I'm glad to meet you." The man who was testing himself stood up mum, making no reply to the salutation, which offended the other, and their previous relations were brought to an abrupt end. The man having escaped the first temptation to hypocrisy finally dodged this and that one and reached his office. He remained on his guard, and never uttered a word to his associates he did not mean, which caused considerable whispering, and it was unanimously resolved by his associates that he had been suddenly possessed by an ill-mannerly spirit or was about to go crazy. After the labors of the day the man sought his home, firmly convinced that he had escaped all hypocrisy during the day, but his mother-in-law having arrived on a visit, she opened the door and accorded him a hearty welcome, to which he merely mumbled. This hurt the old woman's feelings and she refused to stay to dinner. The man who supposed he was immune from hypocrisy gave up the fight before he retired to rest and concurred with the minister.

RUSSIAN DETERMINATION.

Prince Golitzine, the new Russian Premier, says he recognizes no one but the Czar. He has thrust aside the Duma, ignoring all responsibility to that body, and says he will resort to everything for victory over the Germans. The reorganization of internal affairs, he says, must be deferred until the war shall have been brought to a close.

The Russians have resumed the offensive and are now reported to be forcing the invaders back.

THE WEBB LAW VALID.

(Philadelphia Record)

In sustaining the Webb law as a constitutional exercise of the legislative powers of Congress the United States Supreme Court covered every possible point of attack. Congress might have exceeded its authority if it had attempted to forbid the individual use of alcoholic beverages; but this was not the intent of the law. The purpose of the act was "to cut out by the roots the practice of permitting violations of State liquor laws." The quotation is from the opinion written by Chief Justice White, who added that "Congress has complete authority to prevent the paralysis of State authority." The Prohibition law of West Virginia which was involved in the decision, forbids the manufacture and sale of intoxicants and also the "receipt and possession of liquor transported in the State, whether originating in or outside the State." The contention that this prohibition is contrary to the "due process" clauses of the Fourteenth Amendment is met by the Court's assertion that the legislation does not forbid the individual use of intoxicants, though it puts serious restrictions upon the means of obtaining the same.

Moreover, the plenary authority of the State over intoxicants is well established; so the regulation of West Virginia cannot be held to be repugnant to the Federal Constitution as an abridgment of the privileges and immunities of individuals or as a deprival of property or liberty without due process of law. The inhibition by West Virginia of the receipt or possession of liquor transported from points of origin outside the State would be unconstitutional, because interfering with the power of Congress to regulate interstate commerce; but under the Webb law the State authority has an exceptional application to such shipments. In the words of the Webb law, shipments of liquor are forbidden if "intended to be received, possessed, sold or in any manner used" in violation of the law of the State. "The all-reaching power of government over liquor is settled," said Chief Justice White in announcing the decision. "the channels of interstate trade may no longer be used to evade prohibition of a State, in respect to this traffic. The various Legislatures may make their respective States bone-dry if they wish to do so. Any plea that the paramount authority of Congress over commerce prevents the stoppage of shipments would be purely hypothetical.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The undersigned Herman M. Grimes having been appointed Administrator with the will annexed of the late Joseph S. Grimes, hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to the said Joseph S. Grimes to settle all indebtedness due to said Joseph S. Grimes with the said Herman M. Grimes, Administrator with the will annexed of said Joseph S. Grimes, and all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned for payment.

HERMAN M. GRIMES,
Administrator, with the will annexed, of Joseph S. Grimes, deceased.
C. E. Nicol, Attorney, Alexandria, Va. 2-10t.

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FINGER TIPS AMPUTATED.

Now Sues French Line for Damages of $25,000.

New York, Jan. 11.—Mrs. Henrietta Sands Anderson yesterday brought suit against the French line, demanding $25,000 for the loss of several finger tips, which was amputated, she said, when a door of the liner La Touraine blew shut upon her hand.

The suit was brought by Davies, Auerbach and Cornell, of 34 Nassau street. The plaintiff alleges that the accidient was caused by the wind and the rocking of the ship on March 12, 1916, and that the door which injured her was of faulty construction. The company was negligent, she says, in that it provided no member of the crew to open and shut the portal for passengers.

LONDON PARKS FOOD FIELDS.

London, Jan. 11.—Fodder and cereals are to be grown in Richmond and Bushy parks as the first step in the new food campaign. London's parks are royal property, and the step has the sanction of King George. The idea is to set an example and stimulate private land owners to similar activity as a means of increasing food supplies.

The body of Herndon Taliaferro, a farmer who lived near Yellow Tavern, Henrico County, was found yesterday morning in the waters of North Run Creek, which empties into the Chickahominy river. A corner's jury rendered a verdict that Taliaferro came to his death by his own hand.

Isaac Terrel, colored, 30 years old, of Richmond, was almost instantly killed and Leroy Williams was severely injured while "Kid" Davis was slightly bruised when the three were run over by an automobile on Chamberlayne Avenue last night.

WILL HEAR NAVY YARD MEN.

Protests of Machinists' Wage Awards to be Entertained if in Writing.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels has announced he will hear the protests of machinists of the Washington navy yard against wage awards recently made if these protests are submitted in writing.

Decision to give the men another hearing was in response to general protests from workers at practically all the navy yards against the recent wage increase allowed.

The Washington navy yard machinists were given an increase of 32 cents a day, but they asked an increase of 64 cents, to make their wages conform to those paid in private plants. An effort to reach a compromise will be made.

Navy Department officials are averse to reopening the entire wage dispute, since it took considerably more than a month to arrive at the wage settlement recently effected, and reopening the case might mean another month's work, with the probability that the decision then reached would not be satisfactory to the men.

VIRGINIA NEWS

Commonwealth's Attorney C. C. Berkley, of Newport News, last night announced that all bachelors living in boarding houses and hotels who have ordered and received ardent spirits since Virginia went dry will be prosecuted. The decision, it is estimated, will cause the arrest of more than 3,000 people in Newport News. The Commonwealth's attorney bases his stand on a recent ruling of the Attorney-General of Virginia, who held that bachelors living in hotels and boarding houses have no homes.

In adjourned session last night, the Common Council of Petersburg by a vote of 16 to 5, adopted an ordinance providing for a bond issue of $250,000 for the completion of the city's sewerage system, and for sidewalk and roadway improvements. The bonds will bear 4 1-2 per cent interest.

Announcement was made last night in Richmond by Christopher B. Garnett, chairman of the State Corporation Commission, of the intention of the commission to organize a State Department of Electricity in accordance with an Act of Assembly of 1914. There is available for the operation of such a department, Mr. Garnett said, an appropriation of $5,000 a year. The Legislature of 1914 empowered the Corporation Commission to regulate light, power, water, heat and telephone companies and required the commission to fix the standard of units and the rates to be charged for service. To carry out these powers, Mr. Garnett said, it will be necessary to form a separate department under the commission.

WANTS ALL "TRAINS "DRY."

Anti-Saloon League Threatens to Ask for Arrest of President of the New York Central.

New York, Jan. 11.—Unless the New York Central Railway Company issues an order within a week entirely prohibiting the sale of liquor on trains or restricting it to "wet" territory, the Anti-Saloon League of New York will ask for the arrest of Alfred H. Smith, president of the road, it was announced here last night by William H. Anderson, State superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League.

Mr. Anderson asserted that officials of the New York Central were notified a year ago of the alleged violation of the law, but that they ignored the notice.

"DRY" LAW RE-ENACTED.

All Doubt as to Validity of South Carolina Prohibition Measure Removed.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 11.—Governor Manning yesterday signed the bill passed by the 1916 Legislature re-enacting the South Carolina prohibition law, thus, it was said, removing all doubt as to the law's validity. The law was passed in 1915 to become effective if approved by popular vote. This approval was given in September, 1915, but later the constitutionality of the law was attacked because the State Constitution requires that all laws be enacted by the Legislature.

The law prohibits the manufacture and sale of liquor within the State, and limits shipments for personal use to one gallon to any one person.

OFFICIAL.

AN ORDINANCE—Requesting and authorizing the Mayor to execute a quit claim deed to Lot 6, in Block 4, of Section 1, of George Washington Park.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Alexandria, Virginia, that the Mayor of the City of Alexandria, be and he is hereby requested and authorized to sign, under the seal of the said City, and to acknowledge a proper deed of quit claim, releasing unto Laurence Stabler, or his assigns, all the right, title, interest and estate of the City of Alexandria in and to Lot 6, in Block 4, of Section 1, of George Washington Park, upon payment to the City of Alexandria, by the said Laurence Stabler, or his assigns of all taxes, assessments and costs, including advertisement, attorney's fees and publication of minutes.

Passed the Common Council, December 15th., 1916.

HOWARD W. SMITH,
President.

Passed the Board of Aldermen, December 15th., 1916.

F. F. MARBURY,
President.

Approved 1916. Mayor.

Teste: DANIEL R. STANSBURY, C. C.
10-1t.

AN ORDINANCE—Requesting and authorizing the Mayor to execute a quit claim deed to lots. 1 and 2, in block 4, of section 1, of George Washington Park.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Alexandria, Virginia, that the Mayor of the City of Alexandria be and he is hereby requested and authorized to sign, under the seal of the said City, and to acknowledge a proper deed of quit claim, releasing unto Robert Elliott, or his assigns, all the right, title, interest and estate of the City of Alexandria, in and to Lots numbered 1 and 2, in Block numbered 4, of Section 1, of George Washington Park, upon payment to the City of Alexandria, by the said Robert Elliott or his assigns of all taxes, assessments and costs, including advertisement, attorney's fees and publication of minutes.

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Notice

The members of L. U. 1665 U. B. of C. and J. are requested to attend a meeting of the union tonight when action will be taken upon the death claim of our deceased Brother Ovie C. Lane, By order of the President.

T. R. FONES,
Secretary.
10-1t.

Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Dulin and Martin Company will be held at the offices of said company, rooms 1 and 2, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandri, Virginia, on Tuesday, January 16th, 1917, at 2:30 o'clock, p.m. for the election of directors and for the transaction of such business as may legally come before said meeting.

T. C. DULIN,
Secretary.
10-td.

NOTICE

Having qualified as Executrix of Matthew W. O'Brien, M. D., all persons having claims against his estate are requested to present the same to the undersigned, properly certified for payment, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement with the undersigned.

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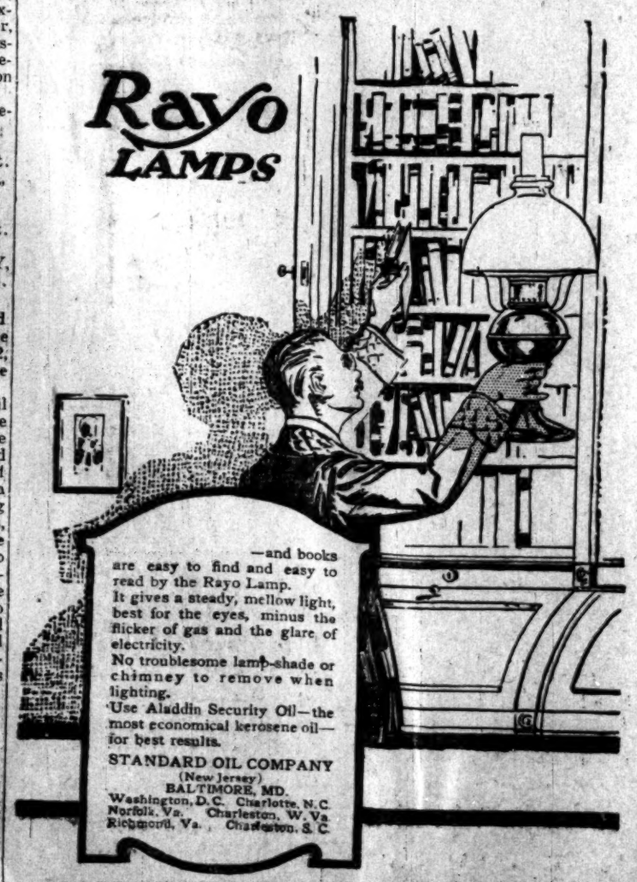
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Notice, I. O. O. F.

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8-3t.

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Total Solids	4.896 per ct.
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Alcohol by Volume	.370 per ct.
Alcohol by Weight	.300 per ct.
Ash	.132 per ct.
Sulphuric Acid	.017 per ct.
Phosphoric Acid	.031 per ct.
Nitrogen	.023 per ct.
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7:37 A. M., Daily—Local between Washington and Danville, delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C and O., No. 403 for Gordonsville and Richmond.

8:47 A. M. Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations, Buffet parlor car.

9:17 A. M. Daily—All rail train, coaches for Lynchburg, Washington, Orange, Lynchburg, Greensboro and Charlotte.

10:22 A. M. Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points at which scheduled to stop. Coaches and Sleeping cars to Atlanta, New Orleans, Birmingham. Sleeping car Salisburg to Ashville. Coaches for Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville Greensboro, and Charlotte.

4:22 P. M. Daily—Local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily—Birmingham Special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Anniston, Birmingham, and Atlanta, Anniston, Birmingham. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car service, Tourist to California daily.

4:02 P. M.—Daily local for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

5:22 P. M. Local for Warrenton.

7:17 P. M. Daily—Augusta Special Through train with sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Through Sleeping cars to Ashville.

10:02 P. M. Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville Chattanooga, Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke Dining car service.

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:27 A. M. Daily—Memphis special, sleeping cars and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

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P. M.—12 30, 12 40, 1 00, 1 30, 1 40 2 00, 2 30, 2 40, 3 00, 3 30, 3 40; 4 00 4 30, 4 40, 5 00, 5 30, 5 40, 6 00; 6 40 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00; 8 30; 9 00; 9 30 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55.

Sundays and Holidays, same as above except trains at 6 00, 6 40, 6 30, 6 35 6 40, 7 10; 7 30; 7 50 and 8 10 A. M and 11 55 P. M.

Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon.
A. M.—Week Days—6 35, 6 55, 7 25, 7 55, 10 30, 11 30.—P. M.—12 30, 1 30; 3 30; 4 30; 5 35; 6 40 7 35, 9 25 10 30; 11 50.

Sundays as above except 6 35 and 7 55 A. M and 11 50 P. M.

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Schedule in effect Nov. 12 1916.

For Washington and points north daily 8:08, 8:23, 8:33 a.m 12:01, 12:16 12:23, 2:30, (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 5:14, 6:23, 8:23, 11:33 p. m.

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Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 2:23, p. m. Saturdays and 11.18 a. m. other days of week.

NOTE—Times of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

AUCTION SALE

TRUSTEE'S SALE

By Virtue of the authority vested in the undersigned trustee, by deed of trust from Margretta Nalls, Widow, to Aylett B. Nicol, the undersigned trustee, bearing date December 15, 1914, admitted to record December 22, 1914, and duly recorded in the Clerk's Office of Alexandria City, Virginia, in Liber No. 64, at folio 163, of the Land Records of the said City, default having been made in the payment of the debt secured by the said deed of trust, the said undersigned trustees will sell at public auction on WEDNESDAY, January 17, 1917, at 12:00 o'clock, Mid-day, in front of the Royal Street entrance to the City Hall in the said City of Alexandria, Virginia, the following property, to-wit:

All that lot of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, located on the north side of Cameron Street between Alfred and Patrick Streets in the City of Alexandria, Virginia ,and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the north side of Cameron Street seventy feet and four inches west of Alfred Street and at Fiela's west line, and running thence west on Cameron Street twenty-six feet and two inches, more or less, to Ball's line; thence north parallel with Alfred Street one hundred and eight feet to an alley ten feet wide; thence east on said alley, parallel with Cameron Street twenty-six feet and two inches, more or less; and thence south parallel with Alfred Street one hundred and eight feet to the beginning; being premises No. 909 Cameron Street, with right of way over said alley, and being part of the property which was devised to said Margretta Nalls under the will of her husband, John T. Nalls, deceased, recorded in Will Book No. 1, at folio 196, of the Records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia.

The said property, however, will be sold subject to the lien of a deed of trust from the said Margretta Nalls, Widow, to Robinson Moncure, Trustee, to secure the payment of a promissory note, waiving homestead exemption, drawn by the said Margretta Nalls, bearing interest at six per cent. payable semi-annually, dated the 2nd. day of October, 1914, being payable to herself, or order, at the First National Bank, of Alexandria, Virginia, on or before three years after date, and being endorsed over by her to a bona fide holder for value, and being for the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00); the said deed of trust last mentioned, bearing date October 2, 1914, admitted to record October 3, 1914, and being duly recorded in Liber No. 64, at folio 61, of the land Records of Alexandria City Virginia, in the Clerk's Office of the said City.

Terms of Sale, CASH as to so much of the proceeds as may be necessary to defray the expenses of executing this trust, and as may be necessary to pay off and discharge a note for $7,000.00, secured by the said deed of trust first above mentioned, and interest on the said note from June 15, 1916, to the date of sale, and if there is any residue of the purchase money, the same to be paid at such time and secured in such manner as the said Margretta Nalls shall prescribe and direct; Deposit of $100.00 will be required at the time of sale.

All costs of conveyancing and recording will be at the expense of the purchaser.

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ANNUAL MEETINGS

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But Lloyd-George Declares War is Preferable to Prussian Domination of Europe.

London, Jan. 11.— England and her allies have told President Wilson they desire peace—but it must be a real peace. War is preferable to Prussian domination of Europe.

Prime Minister Lloyd-George told a Guild Hall meeting this afternoon that this position of the entente powers had been "made clear in the note replying to Germany's peace proffer, but clearer still in reply to the American note."

It was a vociferously-enthusiastic crowd that greeted the premier. As he delivered his first speech since the epochal address in the House of Commons voicing England's refusal of Germany's peace terms and outling the aims and purposes of his new ministry.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

Alexandria Building And Loan Association Reports Steady Growth.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Alexandria Building and Loan Association was held at its office in the Alexandria National Bank Building at 7:30 p. m. yesterday.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Robert S. Jones, President; M. L. Dinwiddie, Treasurer; C. Page Waller, Jr., Secretary.

Carroll Pierce, Worth Hulfish and C. S. T. Burke were chosen trustees, and G. Washington Lewis, attorney.

H. A. Stewart, Robert L. Payne, James W. Roberts, Robert E. Knight, William H. Sweeney, C. J. W. Summers, Charles B. Swan, O. H. Kirk, Robert S. Jones, M. L. Dinwiddie, and C. Page Waller, Jr., are the directors.

Reports of the Association show a steady conservative growth, with a demand for high-grade loans beyond the present subscription of stock. It is probable that an opportunity will be given investors to subscribe to a new series of stock in the near future.

The directors also met after the adjournment of the stockholders' meeting and declared dividends as follows: Series No. 1, $250; No. 2, $2.00; No. 3, $1.50; No. 4, $1.00; No. 5, .35 cents.

A substantial amount was set aside in each series in the maturity fund.

MOVE TO END WAR.

Socialists Urge International Congress to Initiate Immediate and Lasting Peace.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—The national executive committee of the Socialist party of America, today made a new move to end the world war. By cable under and over the sea, requesting that an international Socialist congress be called June 3, 1917, to initiate an immediate and lasting peace.

To the Socialist national committee in fourteen countries, the text of the message to The Hague was transmitted with the statement:

"We urge your party to support our request and to cable us your decision at our expense."

These messages were sent by wireless to Germany and Austria and by cable to Holland, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, England, France, Italy, Spain, Switzerland, Russia, Belgium, and Argentina.

DROWNS WHILE SKATING.

Waynesboro, Pa., Jan. 11. —Floyd Paxton, aged 19 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Paxton, Chambersburg, was drowned Tuesday night while skating on Wolfe's lake. He was in company with Harold Ebersole and was ready to return home, after spending some time skating along the edge of the lake. He had removed skates, but told his companion he was going to take another slide on the ice. He got too far out on the thin ice, which gave way. He plunged under the ice and did not come up. His body was recovered half an hour later in eight feet of water.

Retreat for Men.

A three-day retreat for men, under the auspices of the Holy Name Society, will begin tomorrow night in St. Mary's Catholic Church. The exercises will be conducted by the eminent Dominican, Rev. T. S. McDermott, O. P., of the Dominican House of Studies, Brookland, D. C., assisted by the priests of St. Mary's Church.

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LIVED HIGH ON ROBBERY.

Deserter Confesses Many Hold-ups and Implicates Policeman.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 11.—Jack Baudarian, formerly of the United States Marine Corps, arrested on the charge of passing forged checks, confessed, the police say, that he and Albert J. Griffith, a Los Angeles policeman, held up eight stages near San Diego and committed other crimes in this city, and that they are the men wanted for the killing of Drew B. Milligan.

Two men recently held up Milligan in his automobile, robbed him and shot him. Griffith is charged with the recent $38,000 express wagon robbery in that city.

Baudarian was taken into custody at his apartments in a fashionable hotel, where he was spending his honeymoon with a girl of good family, who declared she was ignorant of her husband's "business." The man was reputed a "millionaire" by those about the hotel familiar with his luxurious living.

SHORT RATIONS AFTER WAR

Dr. Michaelis Warns Germans Peace Will Not Bring Plenty.

Amsterdam, Jan. 11.—Dr. Michaelis, German Under-Secretary of the Interior, contributes to the Volks-Zeitung of Cologne an article warning Germany that peace will not bring an immediate solution of the food problems. He says:

"We must expect for a considerable time, perhaps for many years, further limitations of consumption and rationing as regards the most-important food-stuffs. Germany in the coming years of peace will have recourse almost exclusively to such foodstuffs as are produced within her own borders. Tonnage will be very scarce and deterioration of the rate of exchange also will oblige Germany to import as little as possible.

Pointing out that the German harvest, even when a full yield is obtained, can be made to suffice only if rationed, Dr. Michaelis says:

"Thus even after peace it will be necessary to keep the belt pulled tight and there must be further sharp rationing. The yearning cry 'Give us peace! Give us more bread!' has no inner basis. Of this we must remain conscious and not cry for peace on account of the scarcity from which we suffer."

After combatting a Republican filibuster for more than a month, the administration yesterday succeeded in forcing the confirmation of the re-appointment of Winthrop M. Daniels as a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission. The Senate voted in executive session to confirm Daniels by a vote of 42 to 15.

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WAYNE MACVEAGH.

Former U. S. Attorney General and Former Ambassador.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Wayne MacVeagh, a prominent attorney of Washington, former Attorney General of the United States and former ambassador to Italy, died at his residence, 1719 Massachusetts avenue northwest, at 3 o'clock this morning from general inanition. He was 84 years old and was mentally alert up to the time he expired.

Mr. MacVeagh, who was a brother of Franklin MacVeagh, Secretary of the Treasury under the administration of President Taft, was senior associate counsel in the firm of McKenney and Flannery, local solicitors for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, at the time of his death. He was born at Phoenixville, Chester county, Pa., April 19, 1833, and maintained his citizenship in that state, having a summer home at Bryn Mawr.

LIFE FOR INFANTICIDE.

Wilmington Girl-Mother Drowned Her Child in Marsh.

Wilmington, Del., Jan. 11.—Ella Del . Savage, the girl-mother who drowned her infant daughter in the marshes along the Christiana River, was sentenced yesterday to life imprisonment.

Attired in a suit of vivid purple, with hat to match, the young woman listened to the long legal charge as one who did not hear. After the reading of the indictment, which charged first-degree murder, the girl pleaded "not guilty."

William F. Smalley, her attorney, then informed the court that she was willing to plead guilty to a charge of second-degree murder and the State agreed to accept the plea. Judge Con read then sentenced her. The whole proceedings occupied only ten minutes.

BRITISH WARSHIP SUNK.

Seaplane Carrier Ben-My-Chree Also Lost. Vessel Torpedoed in Mediterranean Believed 14,000-Ton Battleship.

London, Jan. 11.—The sinking of the British warship Cornwallis by a submarine in the Mediterranean on Tuesday was announced today by the admiralty. The seaplane carrier Ben-My-Chree also has been sunk. Thirteen men from the Cornwallis are missing and are believed to have been killed by the explosion.

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Sardine Sandwich	5c	Tea, Coffee or Milk	5c
Egg Sandwich	5c	Also Cafe a la Carte	

ARRAIGNS MODERN DANCE IN PLAIN TERMS

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again flourished. Knowing these things, the most eminent fathers of the Sacred Consistorial Congregation concluded that the decision laid down by the Third Council of Baltimore must be obeyed, and with the approbation of our most holy father, Benedict XV, Pope, they decreed that all priests, secular and regular, and other clerks are absolutely forbidden to promote or foster the said balls, even though if in aid of and in support of pious works, or any other pious end; moreover, all clerks are forbidden to be present at these balls if they hapen to be promoted by laymen. This decree of the sovereign pontiff ordered to become a part of public law and to be observed religiously by all, everything to the contrary notwithstanding."

The one-step dance was originated in the slums of Paris. A French dancing master named Gault originated the waltz, and he gloried in the fact that he had led many young girls into lives of sin and shame.

These are but a few of many testimonials and the mildest type of them. in view of these statements should not the dance be arraigned? The dance and the saloon start from different points—but both lead to the same destination—one for girls, the other for boys.

Why the dancing school? Why not the gambling school? Why the High school dance? Note the subtle way in which it has crept in? Is this the thing for Christian people to patronize?

Faith in womanhood is shaken, church membership scandalized and religion discounted. As one said, "if that is all there is in Christianity I don't want it".

The pathetic appeal of the ruined is like the insistent cry of the lost rich man—"Send Lazarus to my father's house that he may testify to my five brethren lest they also come into this place of torment."

VIRGINIA NEWS

A meeting of the executive board of the Polk Miller Memorial Association was held at the Bon Air Inn or Monday night. The treasurer's report was satisfactory. During the meeting a site was donated for the hall which is to be erected. The site is a most desirable one.

Monticello, the home of Thomas Jefferson, near Charlottesville, will be purchased by the United States government, if a reasonable price can be agreed upon, the House Public Buildings and Grounds Committee yesterday decided. The Jefferson homestead now is owned by Jefferson Levy, of New York. Chairman Clark, heading a Congressional committee of six members, has arranged to visit the historic site and open negotiation for its purchase.

Representative Edward E. Holland said yesterday that he is expecting Norfolk to get about $4,600,000 for the completion and fitting of the navy yard there, if the secretary of the navy's new suggestion of $12,000,000 additional to the appropriation already made by congress can be secured. The secretary states that the plans of the navy cannot be carried out on the basis of the six million appropriation already authorized by congress. Three times that sum is immediately needed in case the government has to build the seven ships which private plants do not seem eager to undertake.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Four rooms in a downtown hotel in Toledo, Ohio, where strikebreaking linemen in the employ of the Ohio State Telephone Company are housed, were wrecked by a bomb early yesterday evening. The explosion occurred on the third floor near the rear of the building. A dozen guests were knocked down by the explosion. So far as is known none was seriously injured. The clerk at the hotel said that the room in which the explosion occurred was occupied by C. C. Connors, of Cleveland, a marine engineer, whose boat is tied up here for the winter. Connors was uninjured. The bomb fell into the room below, which is occupied by two strikebreakers, who were absent at the time. Two rooms on the third floor and two directly beneath them were wrecked. The strike of linemen and operators of the Ohio State Telephone Company has been in effect two months.

The furious Russian offensive against the north wing of the Teuton line in Russia continues unabated. The attacking front has been extended southward from Dwinsk as far as Lake Saroch, so that it is now almost 200 miles long. The chief pressure is exerted in the region southwest of Riga, where the Muscovites are making mighty efforts to break through and turn the Bavarian prince's lines so as to follow up an irruption with a drive against East Prussia Petrograd announces an advance of more than a mile, resulting in the capture of the position between the Tirul swamps and the river Asa. Since Friday when the offensive began, twenty-one heavy guns and eleven light guns have been taken from the Teutons, the statement says.

It was announced officially in London last night that Turkish trenches on a front of 1,000 yards northeast of Kut-el-Amara, on the Tigris front, had been captured.

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SUITS

Men's and Young Men's suits in all the latest colors, regular price $10 now $5.98
Men's Extra fine suits in all the latest colors and patterns regular price $18, now $11.95
Men's Suits which were sold for $15, now $8.95
100 Men's Overcoats will be put on sale, regular price $12; $15; $18; now $4.95; $6.95; $8.95

MEN'S PANTS

Men's Woolen Pants, regular price $2.00 now $1.19
Men's Corduroy lined pants, regular price $3.50 now $2.45
Men's Worsted Pants in the latest colors, regular price, $4.00 while they last $2.98

BOYS' and CHILDREN'S SUITS

Boys' and Children's Suits in all styles; sizes from 3 to 8 were sold for $2.00 now $1.19
Sizes, 8 to 10, $3 grade to go at $1.98
$6.00 grade $3.98
Boys' Knee Pants regular price 75c to go at 45c
Boys' Knee Pants reg. price $1.00 to go at 79c
Boys' Knee Pants reg. price $1.50 to go at 89c

FURNISHINGS

Men's Dress Shirts regular $1.00 grade now 69c
Men's $1.50 grade 98c
Men's Dress Shirts $2.00 grade $1.45
Block Latin Moores Patent Shirt $1 grade 69c
Men's Working Shirts 75c grade 59c
We also put on sale 25 doz. working shirts, regular price 50c now 39c
50 doz. Men's Overalls to go at 69c while they last .....
$1.00 Men's Wool Underwear 69c
We also have a full line of Union Suits and Boys' Heavy Fleeced Lined Union Suits 75c grade 49c
Children's Fleeced Lined Underwear while they last 24c
Children's Sweaters while they last 59c
Children's Stockings, 15c grade 9c
Men's 15c Hose 9c
Men's 25c Hose 17c
Men's 10c Hose 7c
Paris Garters 9c

SHOES

Selling out an entire stock of Men's, Boys' and Children's Shoes at 1-3 off the regular price.

Men's Button and Lace $5.00 kind $3.50
Men's Button and Lace, $3 kind $2.45
Men's Button and Lace, $4 kind $2.95

Ladies' Button and Lace $3 kind $1.95
Children's Button and Lace, $1.50 kind..$1.15

We will put on sale 100 pairs of Men's, Boys' and Children's Rubbers while they last 50c

Men's Working Shoes, $1.95 while they last
We will put on sale 100 Men's Raincoats $6.00 kind to go at $2.95

We also have a full line of Corduroy and Sheepskin Coats; Blankets, Quilts, Dress Cases, Bags and Trunks to go at the same prevailing prices.

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WE HAVE SET APART TEN DAYS IN WHICH THE PUBLIC OF ALEXANDRIA AND VICINITY CAN PURCHASE MERCHANDISE AT PRICES NEVER HEARD OF BEFORE. TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION THE PRICES AT WHICH GOODS ARE SELLING NOW WE CAN SAFELY SAY THAT THEY CANNOT BE DUPLICATED ANYWHERE BY PAYING THE PRICES AT WHICH WE ARE OFFERING THEM AT THIS SALE. WE OURSELVES WILL NOT BE ABLE TO DUPLICATE THEM AT THE SAME PRICES.

OUR OBJECT IS TO MAKE ROOM FOR SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, TO SAVE THE EXPENSE OF CARRYING THEM OVER, AND TO RAISE MONEY.

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A mushroom springs up in the night and is no more. Just so with some business here today, gone tomorrow.

While they are with us the loud hurrahs and flashy signs catch a few who receive THEIR guarantee on the article sold. But lo and behold! When the time comes for the guarantee to be made good, they, like the Arabs, have folded their tent and sought other climes. Not so with us. Although our sale lasts only ten days, we will gladly and willingly replace any article not proving entirely satisfactory at any time.

THE PRICES YOU PAY.

The prices you pay at this sale are guaranteed to hold good for 10 DAYS, but NO LONGER.

You had better take advantage of the chance while it is here. The prices are likely to be increased 50 per cent after the sale.

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$5.00 heavy Wool Nap Blankets; in neat plaid.....$2.95

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$4.00 Lace Curtains, in cream and white; 3½ yds. long....$1.95

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BOYS' TROUSERS.

75c Boys' Trousers 42c
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145 $10 and $12 Suits to go at $6.95

At this Sale 138 $14 and $16 Suits to be sold at..$8.95 & $10.95

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A few Collegian Suits left over from this Fall to be sold at a great sacrifice.

MEN'S OVERCOATS.

$10.00 Overcoats to go at ..$5.95

9 Overcoats valued at $12 each to go at $7.95.

11 $15.00 Overcoats in pinch back $8.95

12 $18.00 Overcoats in different styles and designs at.....$11.95

BOYS' CLOTHING.

All $3.00 Boys' Suits.....$1.95
All $4.00 Boys' Suits.....$2.95
All $5.00 Boys' Suits.....$3.95
All $6.00 Boys Suits.....$4.95
All $8.00 Boys' Suits.....$5.95

HATS.

Great Reduction in Men's Hats.

All $1.00 Hats.....59c
All $1.50 Hats 95c
All $2.00 Hats $1.45
All $2.50 Hats $1.79
All $3.00 and $3.50 Hats ...$1.95
$5.00 Raincoats $2.95
$7.50 Raincoats $4.95
$10 Raincoats $6.95

LADIES' CLOTHING.

We are closing out odds and ends in Ladies' Clothing at record-breaking prices which will astonish you.

Among the things being closed out are Ladies' Suits, Coats, Skirts, Waists, Underskirts and Night Gowns, in all styles and colors. You will benefit yourself by coming in and looking them over.

GIRLS' COATS.

$3.00 Children Coats Size 3 to 6 at $1.95

$4.00 and $5.00 Coats in Plushes and Velvets, Size 3 to 6 .....$2.95

MISSES COATS.

Misses Coats from $1.95 up, in all styles and colors.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR.

You can get Underwear at this Sale which is being sold elsewhere at 65c. for 39c.

Come early as they will not last long.

Children's union suits, sizes 4 to 12 .....25c each

CAPS.

Boys Caps .....15c each
Men's 50c Caps 39c
Men's 75c Caps 49c
Men's 1.00 Caps 79c

Men's Blue Work Shirts .. 49c

150 Men's and Ladies Sweaters at very low prices.

50c and 75c Undershirts for Men 29c

$1.00 and $1.50 Umbrellas at 89c

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It has been predicted that shoes will soon sell for from $12 to $15. But look at what we are selling them for.

$3.00 Gun Metal Shoes, only 29 pairs on hand $1.99

$3.50 Shoes in button and lace, in tan $2.69

$4.00 Gun Metal Shoes in black and tan, 64 pairs left.....$2.85

$2.95 Boy Scout Shoes for Men only. 32 pairs left.....$2.39

WORK SHOES.

$2.75 Work Shoes in tan and black $1.95

$3.50 Work Shoes in tan and black $2.85

LADIES' SHOES.

About 400 pairs of Ladies' Shoes from 95c up.

Children's Gowns at.....39c

BOYS' AND MEN'S MACKINAW COATS.

$7.50 Men's $5.95
$6.95 Boys' $4.45
$4.95 Boys', 8 to 12.....$3.95

5c Paper of Sharp's Needles, 2 for 5c

10c Cards of all Kinds of Buttons, 3c each

15c and 25c side and back combs 9c

5c Tape.....2 for 5c

5c Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 2 for 5c

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50c Value 39c
75c Value 49c
$1.00 Value 99c
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PROHIBITIONISTS ANXIOUS.

President Wilson May Veto Bill Should House Pass it.

President Wilson may veto the bill providing prohibition for the District of Columbia, except that the bill shall include a provision for the submission of the question of "wet" or "dry" to the dwellers in the District. A report on the measure from the House committee on the District of Columbia or a rule obligating that committee to report the measure, is expected at an early day. Meanwhile, with the almost certain passage of the bill by the House by a larger majority than it was passed by the Senate, staring them in the face, the proponents of the measure are at sea as to the President's intentions.

Reference is made to a letter written by President Wilson while governor of New Jersey to the Rev. Thomas B. Shannon, of Newark, in which he defined himself as an out-and-out home ruler in the matter of sumptuary legislation.

"I am a thorough believer in local self-government, and believe that every self-governing community which constitutes a social unit should have the right to control the matter of the regulating or the withholding of licenses," Mr. Wilson wrote at that time.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Returning to his home from work early last night, Everett Crozier, a farmer residing near Greeley, Col., found the bodies of his five children lying in the house shot to death and his wife lying unconscious in a field nearby with a pistol in her hands. A note, found on the table and believed to have been written by Mrs. Crozier, accused Crozier of infidelity and declared, "I don't want my children to grow up in a house of shame." The Croziers were married fifteen years ago. Neighbors declared that Mrs. Crozier had been acting strangely of late.

Twelve women, with suffrage banners, stood at the main gates of the White House grounds yesterday, inaugurating what leaders of the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage call mildly militant "silent picketing" to force their cause upon President Wilson's attention. "Pickets" were at the two entrances from 10 o'clock in the morning until dark, tired ones being relieved from time to time, and last night it was announced that other gates would be guarded today and daily until March 4, when the suffragists plan to bring their campaign for a Federal amendment to a close with a big parade. It was stated yesterday that the silent sentinels would be gradually increased until 3,000 will be surrounding the executive mansion grunds.

A movement is on foot in the Senate, with Senator Hoke Smith apparently as spokesman for those behind it, to prevent any increases in the salaries of government employes being granted at this session. The Georgia senator is reported to be the author of the resolution adopted by the recent caucus, giving party support to all efforts on the part of the appropriations committee to curtaiil government expenditures. Many senators, however, say the resolution was not specific and bore no relation to the proposed increase in salaries.

After a two-hour executive session late yesterday the house rules committee adjourned until today without taking final action on Representative Wood's resolution for an investigation of rumors of a "leak" in advance of President Wilson's peace note. Although most of the Democratic members favor abandoning the whole proceeding with an adverse report on the resolution, a subcommittee was appointed to draft contempt charges against Thomas W. Lawson for use in case the committee decides to report the Boston financier for refusing to give names in connection with rumors he repeated.

The entente powers' reply to President Wilson's note on peace is on the way to Washington. The document was handed to United States Ambassador Sharp yesterday.

Wholesale executions of men, women and children by Villista bandits in the Jiminez districts at the time the bandit leader held that territory are reported by United States government agents.

Greece's reply, accepting the terms of the ultimatum of the entente allies, was delivered Wednesday evening, says Reuters Athens correspondent.

Twelve thousand shirtmakers went on strike yesterday in New York for a 50-hour week, a $2 a week increase in wages, and a 20 per cent increase on piece work.

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